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Potomac Insurance Company of the District of Columbia, which takes place on MONDAY, au-gust 4, 1992, at 1 o'clock p.m., the books for the transfer of stock will be closed from July 28, 1902, to August 4, 1992, inclusive, jy28-7t JEFFERSON PEARCE, Secretary.

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AWARDED TO BUREAU.

The Contract for Printing Stamps and Stamp Books.

Acting Postmaster General Madden late Saturday afternoon awarded to the bureau of engraving and printing the contract for printing the adhesive postage stamps and stamp books for the United States for the four years beginning November 1 next. The bureau was the lowest of two bidders, and the price at which it now gets the contract to \$281,000 less than the amount of its orig-

Acting Postmaster General Madden also awarded to the Hartford Manufacturing Company of Hartford, Conn., the contract for supplying registered package, tag omcal and dead letter envelopes for the gov-ernment during the year beginning October

Census of Queensland.

From the London Chronicle

monwealth states in getting the results of the census into print. Its total population is now 533,256, not including 1,227 serving the empire in South Africa, most of whom are expected to "return for permanent residence." For the first time an effort was made to ascertain the number of the blacks. Six thousand six hundred and seventy of them, including 1,533 half-castes, were returned as following settled occupations, at-tending schools, or having abandoned mi-gratory habits. According to the reports of the protectors of aborigines, some 20,000 more prefer the old natural life of roaming hunting and fishing as far away from the white invaders as they can get. At the last census there were only forty-nine Japanese in Queensland; now there are 2.259. During the decennial period the Chinese decrease ter now number 9,327, and if the present commonwealth government succeeds

It matters little what it is that you want -whether a situation or a servant-a scene "want" ad. in The Star will reach the per- mob. son who can fill your need.

placing its "white Australia" policy on the

statute book, there will be few, if any, of them to be recorded in the next Queensland

PLACED UNDER ARREST

Two Men Held for the Lynching of Craven.

EFFORT TO IDENTIFY OTHER

FURTHER INQUIRY

PARTICIPANTS.

The Testimony Given Saturday Afternoon-Expressions of the Senti-

ment of Citizens.

Special from a Staff Correspondent.

LEESBURG, Va., August 4.-Two men are under arrest as participants with the mob in the lynching Thursday afternoon. of Charles Craven, the alleged murderer of William H. Wilson. One of them is Scott Bradley of Fairfax and the other is Harry Nipple of Frederick, Md. The name of Charles Lowenbach, a saloon keeper here, has been mentioned by a number of witnesses, but no effort has been made to place him under arrest.

The man Paxon, who was tried for disorderly conduct, and whose name has also been mentioned at the inquest, is still in jail. Saturday afternoon he occupied the cell on the upper floor of the battered prison with Scott Bradley. He was extremely anxious to be removed to another cell, as he feared an effort might be made by colored people to avenge the lynching of Craven, in which event he thought he might be made to suffer. Jailer Laycock informed him that there would be no such trouble, and advised him to make the best of his situation. Harry Nipple, who is under arrest at Frederick, was taken into custody at the request of Sheriff Russell, and will be given a hearing Thursday, by which time, it is expected, the inquest will be concluded. Nipple is well known here as the "iron man," by reason of the fact that he has been coming here at regular intervals

purchasing scrap iron.

There is a decided difference of opinion here as to the probable outcome of the inquest. Most of the people are of the opinion, however, that the jury will hold at least three or four of the men against whom so much testimony has been given. whom so much testimony has been given. Should several men be held to answer for the crime more trouble is feared, as it is currently reported that many of those who assisted in putting Craven to death without assisted in pitting craves to death without a trial will attempt a jail delivery.

The murder of Mr. William H. Wilson and the subsequent lynching of his alleged slayer was discussed yesterday on the streets, and reference was also made to the transference in some of the churches A two crimes in some of the churches. A brother of the victim of the lynchers lives in town, and is employed by Mr. Lowenthe saloon keeper, whose name has figured prominently in the case. He has been about town since the affair happened,

but has had nothing to say about it. Local Comment.

In Saturday's issue of a local paper appeared an account of the two crimes of the week, the article concluding:

"It was not any more the right of the prisoner that he should have been tried by the law than it was the right of every citizen to know that the law protected the so-ciety of the county, which involved the homes and lives of all our people. We all deeply regret that such a scene should have been enacted in this county, when nothing could have been more certain than that the murderer would receive the death penalty for his crime, if found guilty. We hope such an occurrence will never again blot the escutcheon of this county. Had there been a well-organized military company in the town this unfortunate affair

would not have occurred.
"We understand that the law officers of county will give this outrage upon this community and this scandalous wrong to the county a thorough investigation, and all who can be with certain evidence proved have taken part in this occurance will be brought under the penalties the law im-

poses for such case.
"What protection have the people for ife and for the sacredness of their homes if the acts of the mob are to be allowed to take the place of the law?"

A Preacher's View.

In the same issue of the paper there appeared a communication signed by the Rev. Edwin S. Hinks, rector of St. James' Church of Leesburg, in which he stated that "a very wide misconception seems to prevail as to the ground on which one man, or a dozen men can take another's life. There is such a thing as justifiable homcide. We can with right and impunity kill a man in self-defense or in defense of a person being assaulted. In all other cases the law must take its own course slowly and carefully. If democracy be not a failure then it is incumbent upon every citizen to see the law most jealously protected. our midst is a blot and stain upon the fair escutcheon of our people's honor. Battering down a jail door in broad daylight, and to hang and shoot on the public highway, might and to step back to barbarism. that 'the merciful shall obtain mercy.' The man who was hung was given no time for

even a prayer. It is no defense to say that he gave his victim no time or quarter, for this is to fall to the defense of 'evil for evil' and to put our passions on the same plane with the despised criminal. Time Our Typewriter Letters for for reflection, for meditation for possible reformation and conversion in the civilized, Christian and humane way. There was a murder, yes; we were all incensed and horrified, when we heard of the coldblooded murder of a quiet, beloved, hon-ored and respected citizen, cut down in so dastardly a manner. The culprit, who we believe upon circumstantial evidence, did this thing, after being loose like a tiger in the community, had been caught, and caged and the trial, the verdict and the rope were before him. No jury in the land

would have cleared him. Blind With Drink.

After stating that the men who did the

lynching were blind with drink, the minister concluded: "I say without hesitation that the mer

who did the damage were in liquor, and consequently bloodthirsty, and this act, like many sad tragedies of the past year, have come upon us with the reopening of the saloons. But for the liquor these men would have been counselled, and as to civic resistance, we all know that a positive treatment of men in such condition as the few wild men who battered the doors away would have availed; that a short, sharp fight would have sent them out in a hurry "I think we need the most positive law upon the men who broke that jail, and may God forgive the men who did the lynching."

Witnesses Examined.

At the inquest Saturday afternoon, after The Star's report closed, several witnesses were examined before the hearing adjourned for the day. One of the witnesses was Belle Craven, sister-in-law of the victim of the lynchers. She declared that she band's brother out of the jail, striking him. Scott Bradley held the rope that was about Craven's neck said James Cooper and was holding Craven with his other hand. He said he heard Nipple say:

"All we want now is the sledge."
Ex-Judge McCabe was again put on the witness stand. Since giving his testimony Friday, he stated, he had recalled the names of two other men whom he saw in the crowd at the jail. One of them was Nixon Shryock and the other a young man who he thought was named Parker. They seemed as if they were guarding the jail.

According to the testimony of Deputy Sheriff Eugene Monroe, the sheriff and those who were assisting him did everything in their power to prevent the lynching, except to use firearms.
"Had any shots been fired," said the

coroner, "what would have been the re-"In my opinion," he answered, "there

would have been a very warm time."
R. J. N. Reid, manager of the Leesburg Mirror, was examined. He described the scene of the officers struggling with the mob. The only person engaged in the struggle against the officers whom he knew, he seems of the officers whom he knew, he seems appointed:

New Virginia Postmasters.

The following Virginia fourth-class postmasters are postmasters and the minister, "and I immediately telegraphed President Zelaya, who replied that the rumor was without any foundation. I masters have been appointed:

Edna, B. Roscoe Gardner; Unfon Hall, John W. Dudley.

said, was John LeFevre. He was pitched over the jail steps by the jailer. Witness saw Craven when he was brought out; he was in charge of a man with brown whiskers. This man, he said, had a rope around Craven's neck and was urging the negro tiong. He said he recognized in the crowd Mr. Charles Kendrick of Herndon, who said no disgrace would be brought upon Loudoun county, as the man would be taken to Fairfax county. Mr. Reid said he also saw Moultrie Wren and Dr. Hugh Hutchinson in the crowd. Witness told the jury he remarked to Dr. Hutchinson: "Hugh, I'm ashamed of you," and the latter merely laughed at him. He did not see either man mentioned engage in any violence and con-cluded: "I do not know who committed the

Probate Court—Justice Hagner.
Estate of Israel Buchanan; answer of guardian ad litem filed. Estate of Charlotte R. White; will partly proved. Estate of Benj. F. Burche; will dated June 17, 1897, filed with petition for probate. Estate of Mary D. Heyl; return of appraisers filed. outrage against Loudoun."
Gus Valentine, colored, heard the noise in the jail and said he saw Scott Bradley and Nipple bring Craven out. Mr. Lowenbach was talking to Craven, but witness did not see him have hold of him. He said he heard Bradley ask where the rope was.

At Craven's Side. Scott Bradley was at Craven's side, he said, when the prisoner was brought out,

H. J. Leslie told the jury. Mr. Lowenbach and Nipple were also near him. "Were you present at the killing?" the coroner inquired.

"I was about 100 yards away," he responded. "I think I recognized the man who climbed the tree. I think he was Nipple, the iron man. John Le Fevre was there on horseback and he seemed to be chief marshal of the affair."

Witness said he did not know the men from the lower part of the county. George Grimes, who was next examined, recognized none of the men con-

nected with the affair.

"No town fellows had anything to do with it," he said. Robert Titus witnessed the lynching and heard the firing, but could not give the names of the men who killed Craven. A school teacher named Harry Rinker

witnessed the attack on the jail and saw the lynching from a distance. "I was just far enough away to see the hanging and not near enough to recognize those who did it," he stated.
Silas Davis, colored, who dug Craven's

grave, said he saw Charles Lowenbach have hold of Craven on the way out the road, and Beulah Brown, also colored, gave similar testimony. Charles Waters testified that he saw Chas. Lowenbach have hold of Craven. James McPherson, a local merchant, was the last witness sworn. He reached the jail

after the door had been broken and did not follow the crowd because he thought Craven would be taken to Fairfax county.

The hearing will be resumed at 9 o'clock amorrow morning. FAIR, COOLER TONIGHT.

Tuesday Fair, Fresh Northwesterly

Winds, Shifting to Northeasterly.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Tuesday.-For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, fair and cooler tonight; Tuesday fair; fresh northwesterly, shifting to northeasterly winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast. -Since Saturday local rains have occurred in the Atlantic and east gulf states, the upper Mississippi and middle and lower Missouri valleys, and in the middle Rocky mountain and southern plateau districts; elsewhere fair weather has prevailed. A cool wave has advanced from the northwest over the lake region and Ohio valley, and a decided fall in temperature has occurred over the northern Rocky

mountain districts. A barometric depression has moved eastward over the lake region and middle and north Atlantic states, and is central this morning off the Massachusetts coast. The barometer is relatively low over eastern Kansas and eastern Nebraska, where a disturbance is apparently developing, and is high on the north Pacific coast.

Fair and cooler weather is indicated for the middle Atlantic states tonight and Tuesday. In the lower lake region and Ohio valley local rains and higher tem-peratures are indicated for Tuesday. Showers are likely to occur in the east gulf Along the middle and north Atlantic

coast fresh northwesterly winds will shift to northeasterly. On the south Atlantic coast the winds will be light and variable. On the gulf coast fresh westerly winds will shift to southerly.

Steamers departing today for European ports will have fresh west to northwest winds and showers to the Grand Banks.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: New Orleans, 1.36; Port 1.08; Atlantic City, 1.20; Cape May, 1.22; Elkins, 1.12. During the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a.m. Sunday: Jackson, Miss., 1.50; Nassau, 2.42; Greensboro', Ga., 2.36.

Records for Twenty-four Hours. The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather

bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday: Thermometer-August 3, 4 p.m., 85; 8

p.m., 82; 12 midnight, 77. August 4, 4 a.m., 72; 8 a.m., 78; noon, 86; 2 p.m., 87. Maximum, 90. at 2:15 p.m., August 3; minimum, 71, at 4:30 a.m., August 4. Barometer—August 3, 4 p.m., 29.86; 8 p.m., 29.84; 12 midnight, 29.84. August 4, 4 a.m.,

29.86; 8 a.m., 29.86; noon, 29.88; 2 p.m., 29.86. Maximum Temperatures. The following is the maximum temperature in the twenty-four hours ending at 8

a.m., August 4, in the cities indicated, as reported to the weather bureau: Festport Me. 58 Chicago, III.
Boston, Mass. 84 Des Moines, Iowa.
New York, N. Y. 76 Omaha, Neb.
Philadelphia, Pa. 86 Salt Lake City. Boston, Mass.
New York, N. Y.
Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City, N. J.
Washington, D. C. .86 Salt Lake City.
.80 Denver, Col.
.90 El Paso, Tex
.94 Yuma, Ariz.
.90 Sookane, Wash
.84 Portland, Ore
.88 Carson City, Nev
.86 San Francisco, Ca
.94 Los Angeles, Cal.
.80 San Diego Lynchburg, Va... Jacksonville, Fla. Mobile, Ala.
Mobile, Ala.
New Orleans, La.
Galveston, Tex.
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Buffalo, N. Y.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at a.m.: Great Falls-Temperature, 82; condition, 9. Dalecarlia reservoir-Temperature, 82; condition at north connection, 7; condition at south connection, 5. Georgetown reservoir-Temperature, 82; condition at influent gatehouse, 7; condition at effluent gatehouse, 12. Washington city reservoir— Temperature, 82; condition at influent, 36;

Tide Table. Today-Low tide, 2:04 a.m. and 2:35 p.m. high tide, 8:05 a.m. and 8:32 p.m. Tomorrow-Low tide, 2:55 a.m. and 3:21

p.m.; high tide, 8:52 a.m. and 9:20 p.m. The Sun and Moon.

Today-Sun rises, 5:00 a.m.; sun sets 7:11 Moon sets 7:29 p.m.

Tomorrow-Sun rises, 5:01 a.m. The City Lights.

The city lights and naphtha lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; extinguishing begun one hour before sunrise All are and incandescent lamps lighted fif-teen minutes after sunset and extinguished forty-five minutes before sunrise.

Deaths in the District.

The following deaths were reported to the health office during the forty-eight hours ending at noon today: John B. Conway, 80 years; Henry Max-

ney, 65 years; Mrs. Margaret Altmansperger, 60 years; Grace A. Hillery, 54 years; Emma B. Stuart, 48 years; Susan Gordon, 48 years; Cornelius A. Clark, 37 years; William J. Coleman, 32 years; James Johnson, 29 years; Maty Ambush, 21 years; Clementine Coleman, 18 years; Emma Belle Crump, 16 years; Lizzle Benchort, 8 years; Mary F. Simms, 2 years; Fanny Mack, 1 year; Bashana E. Bundy, 8 months; Carrie Ruffin, 7 months; Howard Moore, 3 months; Wilbert Allen, 2 months; Ralph A. O'Connor. 2 months.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following: White-Alfred O. Allen and Annie M. Gramlich. Colored-Robert Harriday and Elizabeth Davis; Walter Davis and Lottle Dorsey.

THE COURTS.

Estate of Jas. F. Glenn; statement for ac-

count filed. In re Ruppert W. Suman; in-

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Connecticut avenue and K street north-

west-American Security and Trust Com-

missal of cause ordered.

lot 3, square 164; \$150,000.

Caudell, part of lots 2, 3 and 4; \$10.

Annie Shea, part of lot 23, Bellevue; \$10.

K street northwest between 21st and 22d streets—Walter G. Duckett et al., trustees, to Mary Craven, part original lot 3, square

Alley between N and O, 21st and 22d streets—William L. Bramhall, trustee, to Dwight Anderson, part of original lot 2,

Third street southwest between M and N streets—William T. Otis et ux. to Richard T. Mazenger, lot 47 and part of lot 48, square 545; \$1.275.

Widows' Mite and Mt. Pleasant-Wm. P.

Kellogg et ux. to Gertrude H. N. Chipman,

Eighth street northeast between East

Capitol and A streets-Charles F. Benjamin

et al., trustees, to John Cook, trustee, part

original lot 7, square 919; \$1,575.

Q street northwest between 1st and 3d

streets-Same to same, part original lot 26,

Twenty-sixth street northwest between P and Q streets-Wm. T. Pope et al. to

John A. Swindells, lot 90 and part of lot 89,

North Brightwood-Charles C. Lancaster et ux. to Walter B. Appleby, west half of

ot 12, block 3; \$10. Seventh and I streets northwest-George

W. Reinhardt et ux. to T. B. Reinhardt & Sons, part original lots 7 and 8, square 428;

\$10 Thirty-third street northwest between Q

and R streets-Howard C. Riley to J. Tas-coe Robinson, part of lots 198 and 199,

Eighth street northeast between B and

C streets—John C. Rogers to Elizabeth J. Freet, part of lots 43 and 446 square 895;

Bloomingdale—Lope Lopez Quesada et ux. to Edward W. Woodruff, lot 63, block 8;

Randle Park-Arthur E. Randle et ux. to William Crawford, lot 13, block 3; \$350.

Florida avenue northwest between North Capitol and 1st streets—T. Conrad Dodge to

William W. McMichael, sot 102; square 614;

WINTER NAVAL MANEUVERS.

Denied That the Evolutions Will En-

tail Heavy Expense.

be burned in general cruising duty from

port to port. The cost of establishing moor-

are to constitute a permanent feature of the naval base at Culebra upon which the

INCREASED THIRTEEN FOLD.

Growth of Capital Invested in Sewing

Machine Manufacture.

the manufacture of sewing machines, show-

ing that the lands, buildings, machinery,

The census bureau has issued a report on

department has decided.

population of 20,000 or over.

FIGHTING IN COLOMBIA.

Still in Doubt.

partment of Panama, and were in answer

to a message asking that official for in-

formation regarding the contest which has

been in progress since Tuesday at Agua

Dulce, when the Colombian sevolutionists

began to attack that place officials

here are anxiously awaiting additional

news of this battle. The denderstanding

here is that the government's force of about

7,000 men is engaged with a large portion of the revolutionists, who have in the department of Panama about 1,000 men in

all. Agua Dulce, though only seventy-five

overland journey, while the water commu-nication is very irregular and is carried on mainly by the small boats.

NOT RECALLED.

Incorrect Report Regarding the

Nicaraguan Minister.

recalled, when shown him, was denied.

"I read this report while in New York,"

ventory filed.

Bellevue: \$10.

block 1: \$10.

73: \$1.500.

square 69; \$5.

lot 40, block 6; \$8,500.

square 552; \$550.

square 1264; \$10.

quare 1273: \$10

Equity Court No. 1-Justice Hagner. Equity Court No. 1—Justice Hagner.
Wilson agt. Wilson; proof before A. Y.
Bradley, examiner, ordered taken. Darling
agt. Washington Light and Traction Company; time to file transcript of record extended to September 10. Farquhar agt.
Farquhar; proof ordered taken before C.
Clinton James, examinen, Lesh agt. Lesh;
defendant ordered to pay complainant for
her support. Bending agt. Schreiber; dismiseal of cause ordered.

Riflemen of the World Interested in Events. Circuit Court No. 1—Justice Hagner.
Lyons agt. American Security and Trust
Company; time to file transcript extended
to September 1, 1902.

PRESIDENT EXPECTED

REGULAR SOLDIERS TO BE REP-RESENTED IN MATCHES.

England, Australia, Canada and States to Send Teams-The District

Marksmen

Military riflemen, not only of the United pany, trustee, et al. to William F. Draper, States, but throughout the world, just at present have their gaze centered on Sea Senate Heights-Thomas H. Pickford et Girt, N. J. The annual meeting to be held there, opening the latter part of this month, ux. to W. I. Goodwin, May M. Goodwin and Lavinia H. Chase, lots 6 to 9, block 1; \$10. under the auspices of the National Rifle Same to Andrew N. Caudell, lot 2, block 2; Association of America and the New Jersey State Rifle Association, promises to be the Harlem-G. Duley Gladmon to Andrew N. most elaborate and important in the annals of target work with the military firearm. Nos. 615 and 617 Sheridan street-Sidney Among the competitors will be an English West to Florence P. Shea, part of lot 26, team, two Australian teams and a Canadian team, one infantry and one cavalry team No. 619 Sheridan street-Sidney West to from the Department of the East, and possibly teams from the artillery and engineer Twining City-Robert F. Bradbury et ux. corps of the U. S army, a team representing to Ferdinand Armbrecht, lots 22 and 24. the United States Marine Corps, as well as teams from Maine, Massachusetts, Con-Fourteenth and East Capitol streets necticut, Georgia, Rhode Island, New York, southeast-Thos. W. Stubblefield, trustee, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio, to Virgil G. Williams, lot 35, square 1036; Illinois and the District of Columbia. The President of the United States, it is an-Barry Farm-Belva A. Lockwood to Jenounced, will visit Sea Girt one day while seph W. and Margaret A. Tyler, part of lot 14, section 6; \$600.

nounced, will visit Sea Girt one day while the meeting is in progress.

The hope is entertained that early next session Congress will pass to bill, favora-bly reported at the last session, to encourage military rifle shooting in this country. In that event the manner of conducting the meetings at Sea Girt will be materially changed. Therefore, the chances are that the competitions that will open the end of this month will be the last of their kind. This is among the causes of increased gen-eral interest in the coming event.

The District Marksmen. The national capital has earned an enviable reputation for expertness in rifle shooting by reason of the energy and the unsurpassed work in that line of the District of Columbia National Guard. District National Guardsmen several years ago took a stand in the very front rank of the sharpshooters and have persisted in remaining there. The most important event in con-nection with the Sea Girt meetings is the competition for the famous Hilton trophy. Several years ago the District brigade team established the record in the Hilton match, the high score being 1,097 out of a possible 1,250. At the meeting last year the District again captured the Hilton trophy and incidentally smashed its own record by rolling up a total of 1,008.

Each team shooting for the Hilton trophy consists of twelve members. Each man is required to fire seven shots at 200 yards, seven shots at 500 yards and seven shots at 600 yards. The Krag-Jorgensen—or army rifle—and government ammunition are used by all except the foreign teaching. by all except the foreign teams competing. A detachment of marines has been in camp at the Ordway range for several weeks past, engaged in diligent practice before the targets. From this party will be selected the team to represent the Marine Corps at Sea Girt. From the large number of competitive it would seem that the Disof competitors it would seem that the Dis-trict of Columbia is confronted with quite a task if it hopes to again capture the Hilton; and that is principally what it is going

Friendly Match at Ordway.

Central Heights-Marie V. 6 Gehring to John A. Foster and wife, let 4, block 4; Saturday afternoon by a team made up of twelve of the marines and by a team picked from the nineteen men who are going to Sea Girt as principals and alternates of the District's brigade rifle team. The conditions that govern the Hilton match were Stories widely published to the effect that followed closely. The District riflemen left the marines far in the rear by scoring the he winter maneuvers of the fleet in the West Indies will involve an immense exremarkable total of 1,122. The marines' score was 1,033. Of course, the weather and penditure, figures as high as \$1,000,000 beother conditions at Sea Girt are much more ing given, are denied at the Navy Departunfavorable than they are at Ordway, but ment. On the contrary, it is pointed out nevertheless the excellent results of the at the department that these evolutions shooting Saturday have given rise to the hope that the District detachment at Sea will entail little additional expense over the Girt this year will again capture practically every prize in sight. Several men who are ordinary cost of maintenance of vessels in commission and on cruising duty. The coal considered better shots than some of those which will be consumed, and which, of who participated in the match with the macourse, is always a large item of expense rines are of the brigade team contingent, in the operation of ships, would probably but they were unable to be at the range Saturday. The scores of the District's twelve follow, it having been possible for ng buoys off Culebra Island, it is pointed out, must not be charged against these win-ter operations of the fleet, as these buoys

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Total 1,122 IMPROVED ARMOR PLATE.

toois and implements involved in the industry aggregate \$20,072,800, and that the Naval Officials Much Encouraged by products of the sixty-five establishments Recent Results. reporting for the United States are valued The navy people hope to offset the recent

at \$21,129,561. During the past forty years the capital invested has increased thirteen development in high explosives and armor fold; number of wage earners over five piercing projectiles by the army through a fold, amount paid in wages six fold, cost of considerable improvement in the resisting materials used over thirteen fold, and the power of the armor plating of a battle value of products nearly five fold. Only ship. Lieut. Cleland Davis, attached to twenty-six of the establishments in operathe naval ordnance bureau, has produced tion show a value of products exceeding \$100,000. During the past decade the capital invested in the industry increased alan armor plate which recently was tested at the proving 6. ounds at Bethlehem, and the results encourage the naval officials here to believe that the armor plate has The total number of sewing machines for factory use produced in the United States again overtaken the gun in the never-endduring the census year was 55,227, valued ing struggle for supremacy. This plate is obtained by a novel process, carbon being driven directly into the surface of the hot plate by an intensely powerful current of at \$2,395,017. Out of the sixty-five establishments engaged in sewing machine in-dustry in the United States, fifty-three, or 81 per cent, are located in citles having a electricity, the result being a face as hard as glass, and of any thickness desired, supported by a tough back which, it is claim cannot be cracked. The depth of the hardening is regulated by the length of time the current plays upon the plate. It is Result of the Contest at Agua Dulce claimed that an average plate can be com-pletely treated electrically in five hours. Moreover, the plate is claimed to be a third "Battle still being fought desperately." lighter for the same resisting power, which These were the words contained in a dismeans a great saving to constructors. patch received at the Molombian legation from Gen. Salazar, the governor of the de-

Army Orders. Capt. Edwin B. Babbitt, ordnance de-

partment, has been ordered to Fort H. G. Wright, New York, on business pertaining to the test of gun carriages. Capt. Chauncey B. Baker, quartermas-

ter, to Portland, Me., on business pertaining to the quartermaster's department.
The leave of absence granted Second Lieut. Benjamin H. Pope, 8th Infantry, has been extended one month, and that of First Lieut. Ephraim G. Peyton, 18th Infantry, extended two months.

Col. George H. Burton, inspector general, on duty in this city, has been ordered to Governor's Island, N. Y., as inspector gen-

miles from Panama, is in an inaccessible part of the country for ready communication. It requires eight, days to make the eral of the department of the east. First Lieut. Howard W. Beal, assistant surgeon, to Fort Columbus, N. Y., for duty. Captain William R. Grove, commissary, will visit Kansas City, Mo., on business per-taining to the commissary department. Second Lieut. Frederick W. Milles, jr., 12th Infantry, has been transferred to the 7th Infantry, with station at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Second Lieuts. Leighton Powell and David

Mr. Corea, the Nicaraguan minister, has A. Snyder, 6th Infantry, are ordered to join their regiment at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. returned from New York, where he has Leave has been granted officers as fol-lows: One month to Captain Willard E. been for the past week on official business. The report from Managua that he had been Gleason, quartermaster, 6th Infantry; one month to First Lleut. Chas. L. J. Frohwitter, Artillery Corps, and four months to First Lieut. Marion M. Weeks, 21st Infan-

> James R. McConnell and George Garrett, fifteen-year-old boys, have ended a journey from New York to Chleago in a light-weight gasoline automobile in eleven days.

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THE FRIAR PROBLEM.

English Opinion of American Policy Toward Orders in Philippines. From the London Spectator.

The Vatican has not succeeded in its negotiations with Washington about the Philippines. The friars of the great orders, who have large property there, are detested by the Filipinos, and the American government were anxious that they should be withdrawn. They offered extravagantly liberal terms, and it seemed at first as if they would be accepted, but a committee of cardinals appointed to examine the affair contained a majority of friars, and the clause pledging the papacy to their withdrawal was rejected as implying a slur upon the orders. The American commissioner. Mr. Taft, was immediately with-drawn, and it is believed that the American government will act without further consideration for Roman feeling. The friars. in fact, will be deported as danger-ous to the restoration of order in the islands and will receive only the bare value of their property.

The belief in the Vatican is that the

friars have a right under the treaty Paris to "pursue their occupation," but it is most unlikely that Senor Sagasta, who is pledged to restrain the orders at home sake, while in America itself it is held as dogma that every church in an American possession must be finally disestablished. The only feeling in favor of the orders will be as to their compensation. Women and Athletics

From the London Ladies' Field. The present system, or rather, want of

system, which is followed out by women eager for athletic excercises has given us, It is true, an increase of stature among the weaker sex, but without the accompaniment of that elegance which is their right; and if we wish to find graceful women shall have to look for them among those who do not indulge in athletics, but who rather follow in the footsteps of their great-grandmothers and are unswerving in their allegiance to dancing and eques-trianism and such time-honored postimes. Commercial Converts

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